

FRIDAY, APRIL 27, 1893.

NEWS CONDENSED.

EASTERN.

The action brought by Mrs. Mary E. Schenley to obtain possession of wharf property at Pittsburgh, Pa., of the value of nearly \$2,000,000, has been nonsuited.

James Treglown was executed at Morristown, N. J., for the murder of Minnie Chirwin last June.

The centennial of the cessation of hostilities between Great Britain and the United States was celebrated April 19 at Newburgh, N. Y., while at Lexington and Concord the people gave due attention to the 108th anniversary of the battles at those places.

Solomon S. Gray, the pioneer manufacturer of paper collars, has just died at Natick, Mass.

Ex-Congressman Roswell Hart, Treasurer of the Rochester (N. Y.) Savings Bank, is dead.

A Dover (Del.) mob, dissatisfied with the performance of O'Brien's circus, opened fire on the wagons as they were being driven to the depot, with revolvers and shotguns, wounding eight or ten of the employees, Charles Henderson fatally. The sheriff and a posse finally guarded the effects of the show to the depot. Residences and business houses were riddled with bullets during the melee.

Near New Bedford, Mass., four young ladies and a boy were drowned by the upsetting of a boat in which they were sailing.

James Park, proprietor of the Black Diamond Steel Works, at Pittsburgh, Penn., and the largest manufacturer of merchant steel in the world, has passed away at the age of 63 years.

WESTERN.

Mary Henning and Kittie Crow, who robbed John Reed, a countryman, of \$300, were sentenced at Chicago to two years in the penitentiary.

Mr. L. B. Benton, of the type-founding firm of Benton, Waldo & Co., of Milwaukee, has invented a type which, it is claimed, will revolutionize the type-setting business. Each letter is a multiple of a certain unit of space, and correct spacing in all classes of work is thus reduced to a certainty. The facility with which the type can be used will greatly increase the amount of work performed by each compositor.

Two female highwaymen were convicted in the Criminal Court of Chicago and sentenced each to two years in the penitentiary.

Edward Neck, the first man who piddled iron in the United States, died at Youngstown, Ohio, at the age of 81.

Kate Kane, Milwaukee's first lawyer, incurred an analagous insult from Judge Mallory, in the Criminal Court of that city, threw a glass of water in his face. He then fined her \$50 for contempt, which she refused to pay, and was sent to jail.

The body of Maggie Hencke, the Milwaukee girl whose unexplained disappearance last October gave rise to all sorts of theories, was found the other day in the Milwaukee river. The girl was about 12 years of age, and, as there is no reason known why she should have committed suicide, it is supposed she accidentally fell into the river.

The schooner Two Brothers capsized near San Francisco, and all hands on board, numbering seven, found a watery grave.

Lake Michigan was lashed into a fury on the night of the 23d of April by one of the severest storms of the season. Several crafts were wrecked.

Wyoming and Nebraska were visited by one of the severest snowstorms of the season on the 21st of April, prostrating telegraph poles and delaying trains. There was but small loss in cattle, the snow passing rapidly away.

Slade, the Maori, and Charlie Mitchell have been matched for a prize battle on Sept. 11 next, within 300 miles of Kansas City.

A hurricane blew a South Park railroad train from the track near Como, Col. Three cars were overturned, and many persons were slightly injured.

A young man named William Collins, while playing ball at Big Rapids, Mich., was struck in the back of the neck by the ball, producing concussion of the brain, from which he died the following morning.

Gen. James M. Conly, of Columbus, Ohio, ex-United States Minister to Hawaii, in conjunction with his former partner in the publication of the Ohio State Journal, A. W. Francisco, and Capt. A. E. Lee, purchased the Toledo Morning Telegram and Commercial, paying \$30,000.

SOUTHERN.

At White Oak, Ark., a number of houses were blown down and three persons fatally injured.

William Dorsey, of Montgomery, Ala., mistook his wife for a burglar and shot her dead.

A burglar entered a room in the Arlington Hotel, at Palestine, Texas, chloroformed Mr. Reynolds, frightened his wife into silence by a pistol, and walked off with \$3,000.

A recent dispatch from Fort Worth, Texas, reports that "between 300 and 350 cowboys on ranches in the Pan-Handle are on a strike, asking that wages be increased from \$50 to \$50 per month and board. Great uneasiness exists on the ranches near those on which the strikers are located. The strikers have sent committees to the men at work ordering them to join the strikers, quit work, or suffer the consequences, which means to be shot."

At McDade, Texas, a young man named Pfeiffer killed his 15-year-old cousin, Mary Dienhard, and then himself. It is believed that he was insane.

President Arthur spent a day at Savannah, Ga., where he was received with due honors by the municipal authorities. He left that city April 20 for Washington on the United States steamer Tallapoosa.

A party of negroes who had removed from South Carolina to Liberia about two years ago have returned to their old homes in a sorry condition, having lost what little property they had, beside contracting a disease that has caused several of them to lose toes.

A fire at New Orleans burned out Boissieu & Martineau, hat dealers; Levi, Loeb, Scheuer & Co., wholesale dry goods dealers, and Hensel & Co., saddlery dealers, and badly damaged S. J. Mullian's iron warehouse, and A. Wolf's crockery store. The loss is estimated at \$200,000.

A too free indulgence in shrimp salad by President Arthur at Savannah produced results that for a short time caused his friends on board the Tallapoosa, and the officers and crew of the ship, serious anxiety. For a time the President was in great agony, but the professional offices of the ship's surgeon brought him relief. Secretary Chandler is reported to have been very much alarmed, and was disposed to telegraph to Washington for medical assistance.

The County Court House at Coleman, Texas, was broken into, and the criminal indictments destroyed and records carried off.

Mrs. Stover, the sister of President Johnson, and who was frequently at the White House during Mr. Johnson's incumbency, is dead.

WASHINGTON.

Indictments have been returned by the Grand Jury of the District of Columbia against William Pitt Kellogg, former Senator and now Congressman-elect from Louisiana, and Thomas J. Brady, late Second Assistant Postmaster General. Each indictment contains five counts, charging Kellogg and Brady with receiving five separate amounts of \$1,500 each for securing the "expedition" of mail contracts.

The taking of testimony in the present star-route trials closed on the 18th of April, having lasted five months, and the counsel proceeded to bore the patient jurors with windy speeches.

President Arthur arrived in Washington on Sunday, April 23, from his Southern excursion, showing little trace of the illness he was said to have experienced on board the Tallapoosa, at Savannah.

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Baltimore telegram: "The steamship Hohenzollern, with 1,294 emigrants, arrived at this port this morning from Bremen. An hour later the steamship America, also from Bremen, came to wharf with 1,300 emigrants. Three-fourths of both ship-loads are destined for Chicago and the Northwest."

A boom is being organized in Mexico for the election of Diaz to the Presidency in 1884.

The Parliament buildings in Quebec have been totally destroyed by fire.

The business failures for the week ending April 20, as reported to R. G. Dun & Co.'s mercantile agency, New York, numbered 105, as against 189 for the preceding week, distributed as follows: New England States, 29; Middle States, 31; Western, 57; Southern, 44; Pacific States and Territories, 30; Canada, 14; New York city, 10.

Jay Gould has issued a letter to the stockholders of the Washburn road stating the directors have decided to issue \$100,000, 6 per cent coupon bonds, running thirty years, to pay off the car trust obligations and the floating debt. The great object is to wipe out the latter and provide for any outlay which may inhere in the earnings of the company. Gould takes occasion to contradict the rumors recently circulated detrimental to the credit of the company.

The hardware firm of Pedraja & Planella, of Havana, Cuba, have absconded, their liabilities exceeding their assets \$300,000.

Destroyed by fire: Twenty-six business buildings at Aurelia, Ia., loss \$75,000, insurance about \$30,000; E. L. Jewett's cooper shops, at Buffalo, N. Y., loss \$75,000, insurance \$32,000; a portion of the Viedringhaus Stamping Works, St. Louis, loss \$100,000, fully insured; the Grand Rapids (Mich.) Furniture Works, loss \$50,000, partially insured; the Brush Electric Light Company's generating house, Cincinnati, loss \$40,000, insurance \$25,000; the supply store of ex-Gov. Alcorn, Jonesboro, Miss., loss \$15,000; Vaughan & Co.'s agricultural implements store, Newton, Iowa; loss \$30,000; several buildings at Corydon, Ind., loss \$30,000; the Algire butter-dish factory, Indianapolis, loss \$15,000; the Canada Manufacturing Company's establishment, Montreal, loss \$50,000; the Lansing (Mich.) Wagon Works, loss \$30,000.

The stockholders of the Pullman Palace Car Company are to receive a quarterly dividend of \$2 per share May 15.

Six steamships brought 5,140 passengers to New York, most of whom were immigrants.

FOREIGN.

A London dispatch says six divisions of the German imperial cavalry and four army corps have been put in readiness to cross the frontier into France on three days' notice.

The French have occupied Porto Negro and Longo, on the river Congo. The natives protested to the Captain of a Portuguese cruiser, who in turn protested to the French commander. A conflict is not improbable. Henry M. Stanley is there with his elephant rifle, in the interest of Portugal.

Charles II. (Louis De Bourbon), formerly Duke of Parma, died at Nice, aged 84.

The British Home Office offers a reward of £100 for information leading to the arrest of any person engaged in the illegal manufacture of explosives.

At Odessa, Russia, fifty persons were arrested last week for nihilism. At least twenty workmen accused of nihilistic tendencies will be placed on trial before the coronation. The trial of the eighteen nihilists at St. Petersburg has resulted in the conviction of all, six being sentenced to death, two to life imprisonment, and the others from five to twenty years' imprisonment. Those receiving capital sentences were concerned in plots against either the late or the present Czar.

The Irish National Land League has received £5,000 from Australia. Redmond says the Phoenix Park tragedy and its developments are hurting the cause in that country.

The second of the Phoenix Park murder trials has resulted in a verdict of guilty against Daniel Curley, and he will hang on May 18. The jury was absent but a few minutes. The prisoner was asked if he had anything to say why sentence should not be pronounced. He said he had not expected any mercy from the court. It was very unfortunate that the Irish bench was never without a Norbury or a Keogh. He was a member of the Invincibles, but was not in Phoenix Park on the evening the murders were committed. He loved his country and could not fight for her. The witnesses for the crown had perjured themselves, Curley said also he was a Fenian. As the officers were taking the prisoner from the dock he cried out in a loud voice: "God save Ireland."

The Italian Government is determined to foster tobacco culture by paying large bounties.

Two thousand houses were burned in Delhi, India. Numbers of families are homeless and destitute.

Three thousand immigrants left Liverpool for Canada the other day. It is stated they took with them half a million sterling.

Timothy Kelly was the third of the alleged murderers of Lord Cavendish and Mr. Burke to be put on trial at Dublin. The testimony was in the main similar to that in the cases of Brady and Curley, upon which those men were sentenced to death. Several witnesses swore that Kelly was not in Phoenix Park on the day of the murders. The jury failed to agree.

The examination of the dynamite conspirators proceeded at the Bow Street Police Court, in London, April 23. The evidence tended to show the connection of Wilson and Whitehead with the manufacture and distribution of nitro-glycerine. Without concluding the examination was continued until Thursday, the 26th.

The four men arrested at Cork for conspiracy to murder with explosives were arraigned at London April 30. The evidence directly implicated the alleged American Featherstone in dealings in nitro-glycerine.

Sherman Pasha, the famous defender of Shipka Pass, is dead.

An explosion in a dynamite factory at Lopera, in the province of Leon, Spain, killed seven men.

Cardinal R. L. E. Anicli-Mattei died at Rome, aged 72.

England has requested the extradition of two Irishmen from France for complicity in the dynamite conspiracy.

A warehouse and ship chandlery were consumed at Liverpool, upon which the loss is \$500,000.

A report has reached Paris from Egypt that El Mahdi, the False Prophet of Sudan, has been captured.

The coronation ceremonies at Moscow will, it is now announced, occur on May 27, the festivities continuing until June 8.

LATER NEWS ITEMS.

Notice was given in the British House of Commons, the other day, that the Government would be asked if steps had been taken by the United States Government to prevent conspiracies here against the peace of England.

The London Times professes to have information that the membership of the Fenian brotherhood and its auxiliary societies in the United Kingdom is not less than 150,000. The police claim to have intimate knowledge of the inner workings of the organization.

Some of the ambitious politicians of Wisconsin think that the time has come for it to speak up and claim the Presidential nomination for that State. Ex-Gov. Fairchild is the candidate put forward for the honor, and Congressman Guenther is his chief booster.

Mrs. Mather, of Missouri Valley, Iowa, has given birth to four healthy children, all boys. They are strong and vigorous looking, though small in size.

Eight hundred Irish immigrants whose passage had been paid by the British Government, reached Boston the other day. The Cunard line has booked as many steerage passengers from Irish ports as it can carry for three months to come, and the Allan line has arranged to bring large numbers of Irish immigrants across the ocean at the expense of the English treasury.

The Texas cattle drive this spring is estimated at 240,000 head, as against 350,000 head last year.

Wyatt Banks was executed at Franklin, Robertson county, Tex., for the murder of Add Wiser about a year ago. Two thousand people witnessed the hanging. Banks' address on the scaffold occupied two hours.

Mr. Hazen, Third Assistant Postmaster General, who has charge of the finances of the department, desires to have his prediction go on record that the deficit on account of the reduction of letter postage to 2 cents will not exceed \$3,000,000.

Solved the Puzzle.

The other night a merchant in a village in Ohio was discovered in his store at an unusually late hour, and in reply to inquiries he said:

"My confidential clerk is missing."

"And what of it?"

"Why, I'm looking over the books, but they seem to be all square."

"Have you counted your cash?"

"Yes, and it is correct to a dollar."

"Looked over your bank book?"

"I have, and it is satisfactory. That's the puzzle, you see. He's skipped, and I can't make out what for."

"Been home since noon?"

"No."

"Perhaps he has eloped with your wife."

"Lands alive! but it may be so! If it is, then the puzzle will be solved."

He hurried home, and it was so, and he felt a great anxiety off his mind.—Wall Street News.

A Lincoln Memento.

An interesting relic of President Lincoln's family is now to be seen in an antique furniture store in Washington.

It is a brass breech-loading cannon, capable of throwing a two-ounce ball a mile, and was one of a pair made in the early days of the war by Frederick, a well-known gunner, as playthings for little "Tad" Lincoln. The other gun was an exact model of the famous Dahlgren gun which was bought by Mrs. Dahlgren, after Secretary Lincoln had identified it as having belonged to "Tad." His mother, he says, would not allow "Tad" to use the dangerous toys, and finally gave them away to the furniture dealer.

THERE are now ninety Mormon missionaries in the South, and their converts number about 700 a year.

THE MARKET.

WHEAT—No. 1 Spring	1.00	1.09
RYE—No. 2 Red Winter	1.11	1.22
CORN—No. 2	.35	.40
OATS—No. 2	.41	.49
RYE—No. 2	.50	.61
CORN—No. 2	.35	.40
BUTTER—Choice Creamery	.25	.28
EGGS—Fresh	.15	.16
PORK—Mess.	18.25	18.50
LARD	11.50	11.75
MILWAUKEE		
WHEAT—No. 2	1.00	1.09
CORN—No. 2	.34	.39
OATS—No. 2	.41	.49
RYE—No. 2	.50	.60
CORN—No. 2	.35	.40
PORK—Mess.	18.50	19.17
LARD	11.50	11.75
ST. LOUIS		
WHEAT—No. 2 Red	1.10	1.11
CORN—Mixed	.48	.50
OATS—No. 2	.45	.52
RYE	.56	.57
PORK—Mess.	18.50	19.17
LARD	11.50	11.75
CINCINNATI		
WHEAT—No. 2 Red	1.11	1.12
CORN—No. 2	.35	.40
OATS—No. 2	.47	.57
RYE	.60	.66
PORK—Mess.	18.50	19.17
LARD	11.50	11.75
TOLEDO		
WHEAT—No. 2 Red	1.12	1.13
CORN—No. 2	.35	.40
OATS—No. 2	.45	.46
DETROIT		
FLOUR	4.25	4.50
WHEAT—No. 1 White	1.00	1.09
CORN—No. 2	.35	.40
OATS—No. 2	.25	.30
RYE—No. 2	.50	.55
PORK—Mess.	18.50	19.17
LARD	11.50	11.75
INDIANAPOLIS		
WHEAT—No. 2 Red	1.10	1.11
CORN—No. 2	.35	.40
OATS—Mixed	.21	.23
EAST LEBANON, PA.		
CATTLE—Best	6.50	6.75
FAIR	6.00	6.25
Common	5.50	5.75
HOGS	7.00	7.25
SHRIMP	4.00	4.00